

Evening Meeting Is Interesting Occasion For CDAs

The regular monthly meeting of Court St. Catherine No. 1378 C.D.A., was held Monday evening Nov. 11 at Nativity Parish hall. Grand Regent Clara Farrell reported on the District meeting held Sunday at Brentwood Country club in Santa Monica. At the grand regent's suggestion, the Court has elected to start a collection of Catholic literature and books that can be used eventually as a lending library for members of the Court. The books will first be read by members of the study group for discussion at meetings.

Following Monday's business session, Bertha Hedberg presented a delightful program on the life of St. Catherine of Siena, as well as telling of places of interest in Siena and other cities of Italy that she had visited in 1939. Her talk was both entertaining and enlightening, and enthusiastically received by all who heard it.

Refreshments were served by Clara Farrell, Mary Donish, Cecil Pennington and Edith Owen. Next regular meeting of the Court is a Thanksgiving pot luck dinner on Monday evening Nov. 25 at 7 p.m. Guests will be welcome at this dinner. A musical program will follow the dinner.

GIRL SCOUTS ENJOY ICE SKATING PARTY

Members of Torrance Elementary P.T.A.-sponsored Girl Scout Troop 510 were entertained Saturday afternoon at an enjoyable roller skating party at Redondo Beach.

The girls were accompanied by Mrs. Don B. Wolf, leader, Mrs. H. Owens and Mrs. David Jacobs.

Scouts attending were June Rambo, Carol Jacobs, Gleva Comstock, Roberta Tutor, Emma Jeap Blackburn, Georgia Tournage, Joseph Rosenberg, Betty Darnell, Mary Lenten, Mary Schlagenhauff, Donna Wolf, Shirley Owens, Jackie Johnston, Shirley Northway, Virginia Buchanan and Donna Hatfield.

Womens Activities

By MARY VONDERAHE

Mrs. Luella Stanley Is Honoree At Gala Farewell Evening Party

Complimenting Mrs. Luella Stanley, who, with her family, leaves soon for a new home at Paradise, Calif., members of the Auxiliary of V.F.W. Post 3201 entertained Monday evening at the home of the Auxiliary president, Mrs. Mabel Weigand.

Many beautiful gifts were presented to the honoree who has served the Auxiliary as secretary for the past six years.

Delicious buffet refreshments were later served from a table set with chrysanthemums and other colorful fall flowers.

Attending the party were the honoree and Meses. Velma Kent, Pearl Jones, Luella Elder, Mae Richardson, Ruby Backstrom, Angelina Wald, Anna Bay, Clairbel Darling, Ann Hight, Anna Carlson, Eunice Mañon, Katherine Flynn, Betty Sullivan, Hilma Malin, Anne Warburton, Florence Martin, Mabel Weigand, Irene Wilkes, Mary Towler, Florence Howe, Joyce Kent and Florence Mirabella.

Fern Avenue P.T.A. Arranges Program For Wednesday, Nov. 20

Members of Fern Avenue P.T.A. and their guests will gather in the school auditorium at 2:00 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, November 20 for a regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Earl Robinette, president, will conduct the meeting.

"Understanding Through Books" will be the meeting theme. Mrs. Dorothy Jamieson, city librarian, will review books for adults and children's book reviews will be given by P.T.A. members.

A highlight of the program will be a program of vocal solos by Mrs. W. I. Laughon.

Mrs. Homer H. Schooley, hospitality chairman, and the room mothers of Miss Laura Thomas' room and of Mrs. Ruth Lockhart's room, will serve refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. Jeannette Clark, Other O.E.S. Officers, Elected For Ensluing Year

The meeting of the O.E.S. held last Thursday night, Nov. 7, was a very interesting one. During the course of the evening's program, six new members were initiated.

Reports from the Grand Lodge were given by the matron, Mrs. Hazel Fossum; the associate matron, Mrs. Jeannette Clark, and by Mrs. Edna Babcock, conductress.

Officers elected to serve during the ensuing year were Mrs. Jeannette Clark, matron; Ernest Mosher, patron; Mrs. Edna Babcock, associate matron; Vince Viellenave, associate patron; Mrs. Mildred Edwards, conductress; and Mrs. Gladys Mothersell, associate conductress.

At the close of the business meeting all were invited to the banquet room for delicious refreshments of pumpkin pie and whipped cream.

EMERGENCY OPERATION

Harold P. Smith of 1630 Post Ave. is making a satisfactory recovery following emergency surgery Sunday night at Hawthorne Hospital.

Legionnaires Plan New Year's Eve Dance; Festive Dinner Meeting

Bert S. Crossland American Legion Post No. 170 will hold a New Year's eve dance at the Torrance Civic auditorium. Music for dancing will be furnished by Jack Hampton and his 10-piece orchestra. The leader and his orchestra are all G.I.'s, attending school under the G.I. Bill of Rights. Complete details about the dance will be announced in the near future.

The next regular meeting of Bert S. Crossland Post will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 19, at the Civic auditorium. The meeting will be preceded by a dinner with the losing team treating the winning team. The dinner, to be held at 6:30 p.m., will be prepared and served by First Vice Commander Jansen's team.

Members are urged to support the local Legion Post by attending. Please make reservations by sending your name to the Adjutant, Bert S. Crossland Post 170, P. O. Box 497, Torrance, not later than Sunday, Nov. 17.

Elementary P.T.A. - Scouts Browns Today

Torrance Elementary P.T.A. will meet in the school auditorium this afternoon for a regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Don B. Wolf will preside.

Scouts and Brownies will be honored guests and a film, "The Scouts Trail to Citizenship" will be a feature of the entertaining and educational program. The same topic will be used by a representative of Boy Scouts of America, as guest speaker.

Third and fourth grade room mothers will serve refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Elementary P.T.A. Entertains At Tea For Room Mothers

Thirty Torrance Elementary P.T.A. room mothers were delightfully entertained at a tea given Thursday afternoon in their honor.

Arrangements for the beautifully appointed party were completed by Mrs. Charles Emery, room mother chairman, and Mrs. J. E. Popovich, hospitality chairman.

Mrs. Don B. Wolf, P. T. A. president, welcomed the new mothers and outlined plans for the ensuing year.

B. J. Strana, school principal, gave an informative talk on how room mothers could assist teachers in better understanding between school and home.

Mrs. M. Machin, school nurse, explained the importance of diphtheria shots to be given pupils of Torrance Elementary School this month.

JOE'S DAUGHTERS REPORT MEETING

Torrance Bethel No. 50, Joe's Daughters, held a regular meeting Tuesday evening in Masonic Temple. The meeting featured initiation rites with Dawn Marie Perry as candidate.

Election of officers will be held at the next business meeting.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served.

Torrance Clubwomen Report Successful Bazaar, Evening Meet

Torrance Woman's Club members are to be congratulated for their splendid success in last Friday's annual fall bazaar.

A delicious luncheon was served to clubwomen and their guests by Mrs. W. J. Neelands and her committee. A well arranged tea was served by the same group during the afternoon hours.

Proceeds of the highly successful affair will swell the general fund substantially, according to Mrs. Gordon Smith, ways and means chairman.

An educational film, color and sound, produced by Squibb and Company, on the treatment of polio, was shown through the courtesy of Dr. H. C. Smiley of the Torrance Health Center.

A highly entertaining program which followed immediately featured Dorothy Borchers of concert, stage and radio fame.

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program. At the beautifully appointed buffet table, centered with an arrangement of orchid-colored chrysanthemums and lighted tapers, Mesdames W. J. Neelands and Paul F. Vonderahe presided.

Redondo Amaranths Plan Dinner Party, Bazaar, Card Party

Members of Redondo Court of Amaranth will sponsor a delicious baked ham dinner to be served in Masonic Temple, 116 Ruby St., Redondo Beach, on Wednesday, Nov. 20.

Dinner will be served from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., and will be followed by an evening of cards, bridge, pinocle (with and without the kitty) and 500 will be played.

A charge of \$1.25 will cover the cost of dinner and cards. However, those who wish to arrive at 8 o'clock for the card party will be charged 50 cents for tallies. Refreshments will be served at the close of play.

Proceeding the dinner a bazaar and food sale will be held in the Temple beginning at 2 p.m.

SCOUT MOTHERS PLAN BAKED GOODS SALE

The Mothers Club of Scout Troop No. 241, sponsored by St. Andrew's Episcopal church, will sponsor a sale of home baked goods and handmade articles.

The sale, scheduled for Saturday, November 16, will begin at 9:30 a.m., and will be held at the entrance to the Levy Department Store on Sartori Ave.

The next meeting of the Mothers club will be at the home of Mrs. G. C. Mittan, 21224 So. Vermont at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, November 20.

Royal Neighbors Plan Bazaar, Card Party On Tuesday, November 19

Torrance Camp No. 8908, Royal Neighbors of America, will hold a bazaar in Torrance Woman's clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave., beginning at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, November 19.

Many beautiful handmade articles will be offered for sale including aprons, pillow cases, crocheted work, dresser scarves, etc. Committee members in charge of arrangements are Meses. Louise Walker, Vertie Grimm, Margaret Stevens and Mary Baker.

In the evening the regular card party will be held in the clubhouse beginning at 8:00 o'clock. The customary prizes will be given for winners at bridge, pinocle, 500 and buncos and there will be door prizes. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited.

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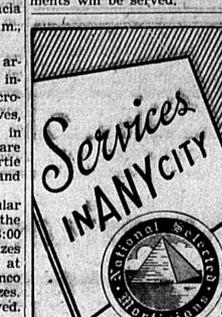
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WOMAN'S CLUB PARTY SET FOR MONDAY NIGHT

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